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SUBJECT: OPIC AGREEMENT

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1. APPRECIATE EMB'S UNSTINTING EFFORTS ON BEHALF OPIC'S INTERESTS IN FINALLY CONSUMMATING PROTRACTED NEGOTIATIONS. OPIC ANTICIPATES MANY INQUIRIES AND RENEWED INTEREST IN NIGERIAN PROGRAM.

2. PURSUANT AGREEMENT PARA 2, OPIC WILL REQUIRE INSTRUCTIONS AS TO WHICH FMG AGENCY OR MINISTRY WILL BE DESIGNATED RESPONSIBLE FOR APPROVALS OF PROJECTS TO BE THE SUBJECT OF OPIC INSURANCE OR GUARANTIES. PLEASE INCLUDE NAME OF OFFICIAL, TITLE, AND ADDRESS.

3. OPIC FOREIGN GOVERNMENT APPROVAL ("FGA") PROCEDURES REQUIRE THAT APPLICANT FOR INSURANCE MUST SEEK THEIR OWN APPROVALS FROM UNCLASSIFIED

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APPROPRIATE MINISTRY. PREVIOUS EMB INSTRUCTIONS DATED MAY

8, 1969 RE PRIOR USG INVESTMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAMS IN NIGERIA, DESIGNATED FEDERAL MINISTRY OF INDUSTRIES ATTN PERMANENT SECRETAY, BOARD STREET, FOR SUCH AGENCY. ORIGINAL OF FMG APPROVAL SHOULD, HOWEVER, BE ADDRESSED TO AMBASSADOR AND TRANSMITTED TO OPIC. MORE COMPLETE INSTRUCTIONS RE OPIC FGA PROCEDURES BEING POUCHED MCGRATH.

4. INSTRUCTIONS RE SPECIAL FGAS FOR CONSTRUCTION AND SERVICE TYPE CONTRACTS WILL BE SUBJECT SEPARATE MESSAGE.

5. WITH EMBASSY CONCURRENCE, NIGERIA WILL BE INCLUDED IN AN OPIC MISSION TO WEST AFRICA BEING PLANNED FOR APRIL. TEAM HEADED BY OPIC VICE PRESIDENT FOR INSURANCE COOPER PLANS TO VISIT LAGOS TO BRIEF EMBASSY, GOVT. OFFICIALS AND US BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVES FULLY ON OPIC PROGRAMS AND TO PROVIDE GUIDANCE RE FGA PROCEDURES. TENTATIVE DATES APRIL 16-19. INSURANCE OFFICER FOR CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY WILL REMAIN WEEK TO TEN DAYS FOLLOWING TEAM VISIT TO EXPLORE CONSTRUCTION INSURANCE OPPORTUNITIES. DETAILS WILL FOLLOW. INGERSOLL

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